

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 2522 – SB 2549

March 21, 2018

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Prohibits a court from requiring an educator to be a witness in a civil hearing unless the educator is a named party or the educator's attendance is necessary to ensure fairness.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (015836): Deletes all language after the enacting clause and rewrites the proposed legislation to broaden the application of the proposed legislation to include school counselors.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- The proposed legislation could result in savings to a local education agency if the school normally pays for a substitute teacher when an educator or counselor must testify in a civil hearing.
- It is assumed that any savings from the proposed legislation will be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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